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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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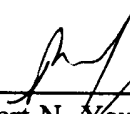
Dear Sir:

In response to the Patent and Trademark Office Action of January 22, 2002, imposing a restriction requirement on this application, applicants elect the claims of Group I, claims 1-20 and 26-33.

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The time for response was set to expire as of February 22, 2002, but with the granting of the accompanying petition for a two month extension of time, this time will be extended to April 22, 2002, and this reply will be timely filed. A check in the amount of the fee required for the extension of time is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any overpayment, in connection with this submission to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. A copy of of this response is enclosed for such purposes.

Respectfully Submitted,



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